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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Vincenzo Scotto Di Carlo et al.

Applic. No. : 09/538,792

Filed : March 30, 2000

Title : Method for Giving Notification of a Message to a Subscriber

Examiner : Joseph T. Phan

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Sir :

Responsive to the non-final Office action dated May 23, 2002,
kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

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Claim 1 (amended). A method of notifying a subscriber of a plurality of message services of a message:

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indicating, with each of a plurality of message services, to a common notification server a presence of a new message for a subscriber on the respective message service;